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DEPT PASS CUSTOMS FOR HERLIHY

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SUBJECT: CUSTOMS REIMBURSABLE NARCOTICS SEMINAR

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1. EMBASSY HAS NOW RECEIVED FORMAL NOMINATION OF TWO CANDIDATES FOR SEMINAR OUTLINED IN STATE REFTEL AND EMBOFF HAS INTERVIEWED BOTH. WE HIGHLY RECOMMEND THAT SPACE IN SEMINAR BE FOUND FOR THESE MEN IN SPITE OF NOMINATION FEW DAYS PAST DEADLINE. BOTH MEN HOLD EXACTLY CORRECT LEVEL POSITION FOR SEMINAR. BOTH ARE BRIGHT, SPEAK GOOD ENGLISH AND HAVE NUMBER OF YEARS REMAINING IN CUSTOMS SERVICE. THIS WOULD BE FIRST TRAINING AND TRAVEL OUTSIDE REGION FOR BOTH.

2. AHMED AL-HADI: BORN 1929: COMPLETED SECONDARY SCHOOL IN BAHRAIN PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND HAS COMPLETED ENGLISH LANGUAGE COURSE AT BRITISH COUNCIL. HAS BEEN EMPLOYED WITH BAHRAIN CUSTOMS SINCE 1944 AND PRESENTLY HOLDS TITLE OF ASSISTANT CHIEF CUSTOMS OFFICER. HE ASSISTS CHIEF CUSTOMS OFFICER AS A ROVING SUPERVISOR AND UNCLASSIFIED

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INSPECTOR OF CUSTOMS PASSENGER INSPECTORS AT SEAPORTS AND AT INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT. HE IS IN EFFECT NUMBER TWO SUBSTANTIVE OFFICER IN CUSTOMS AND IS AT THIRD LEVEL IN CUSTOMS HIERARCHY.

3. YOUSIF MOHAMMED AL-SISI: BORN 1945: COMPLETED SECONDARY IN BAHRAIN PUBLIC SCHOOLS, ENGLISH LANGUAGE

COURSE AT BRITISH COUNCIL AND ON-THE-JOB SUPERVISORY
DEVELOPMENT COURQGS IN BAHRAIN CUSTOMS. IS PRESENTLY SHIFT
LEADER SUPERVISING 14 CUSTOMS INSPECTORS AT BAHRAIN
INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT. AL-SISI HAS BEEN WITH BAHRAIN
CUSTOMS SINCE 1975.

4. CANDIDATES HAVE BEEN ADVISED THAT DUE TO LATE ARRIVAL
IN EMBASSY OF MOMBINATIONS, EMBASSY COULD NOT ASSURE THAT
POSITIONS STILL OPEN BUT THAT WE WOULD STRONGLY ENDORSE
ACCEPTANCE. PLEASE ADVISE ASAP.

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